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Reference: FCC Docket Nos 96-45, 98-171, 90-571, 92-237, 99-200, 95-116, 98-170 and NSD File No. L-00-72.

Dear FCC:

I am writing to complain about the proposed changes to the Universal Service Fund and requesting that the FCC investigate this matter further before changing the current policy. Your proposed \$1.00 per month charge for all wireless phones will directly impact my ability to retain my wireless service.

I do not think it is fair to charge EVERYBODY \$1.00 dollar regardless of how they use their wireless phone, especially for a low-volume user that relies on wireless service for safety and security, not interstate calls. The current policy is fair, based on interstate usage, and should be left alone. Please do not penalize us. Keep this fair.

I currently feel that the rates are just to high at this time. I feel we are getting ripped off by you currently with your communications charges as they are now considering you already get between \$7.00 to \$10.00 each month from me on my land line phones. And now you want more, what for more goverment waste. I have three cell-type phones currently used for mainly emergency purposes. If Mr. Ashcroft would do his job, maybe I would not need them and feel that my family would be safe. If you inact this new wasteful fee you'll just force me to give up my cell service and just purchase guns with the savings considering like imigration, everything is ilegally legal any way. Please don't force me in to these measures.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter. Please provide a written response indicating the status/resolution of this matter.

Very truly yours,

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CC: FCC Subcommittee Members